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Monday, May 21.

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ZION'S JUBILEE

Celebration Inaugurated Yesterday,
With Three Services.

ALL WERE LARGELY ATTENDED

And Quite Interesting — Prominent
and Eloquent Visiting Divines Ad-
dressed the Congregation — A Re-
union of the Congregation is to be
held this evening — The celebra-
tion closes Thursday.

The exercises in connection with the
fiftieth anniversary of the Zion Ger-
man Lutheran church began yesterday
morning and there were three services
for the day. At all the handsome and
commodious edifices was crowded and
the day was a notable one in the
church annals. The bright sunshine
after the previous day's inclement
weather, served to bring out all the old
folks, and naturally reminiscences were
freely exchanged relating to the early
days of the church.

At 10:15 a. m., the first service was
held. It was in German, and the ser-
mon was delivered by Rev. J. G. Ri-
martz, of East Liverpool, Ohio.

Rev. F. P. Mayser, of Lancaster, Pa.,
a former pastor of the church, preached
in English in the afternoon. Rev.
Mr. Mayser has been stationed at Lan-
caster since he left Wheeling, and he is
one of the strongest speakers of his
denomination. He was heard by a
very large congregation, and a reception
of an informal nature was tendered
him afterward.

In the evening the Sunday school
rendered a pleasing and appropriate
programme and there were addresses
by the pastor of the church, Rev. P. J.
Hoh, who has worked tirelessly for the
celebration, and a number of visiting
clergymen.

There will be a reunion this evening
of all persons confirmed in the church
during its fifty years, and addresses
will be made by Rev. G. C. Berkemeier,
a son of a former pastor, now deceased,
and Rev. Dr. Geissinger, of Pittsburgh.
The celebration will close Thursday
evening, but there will be no exercises
on Wednesday.

A feature of the day was the singing
by the choir at the morning and after-
noon services under the direction of
Prof. H. J. Arbenz. The choir is made
up of the following voices:

Soprano—Misses Louisa Rolf, Louisa
Maurer, Louisa Juergens, Lizette Ket-
tler, Emma Kettler, Anna Schaefer,
Nellie Pette, Laura Martin, Mrs. Lind-
eman.

Alto—Mrs. Anna Bertschy, Misses
Christina Jerico, Lillie Kraft, Lena
Meyer, Mary Hanke.

Tenor—August Nolte, Conrad Miller,
August Martin, Conrad Bremer.

Bass—Charles Edahe, William Ho-
burg, Fred Geyer, John Scheff, W. F.
Steinbicker.

GOOD SHEPHERD CONVENT

Opened Yesterday Afternoon, With
Very Interesting Ceremonies.

The convent of the Good Shepherd, a
recent acquisition to the charitable in-
stitutions of this vicinity, was thrown
open to the public yesterday afternoon.
The convent is located in the old Dier-
inger property, at Edgington's Lane, and
situated amid beautiful surround-
ings. It is in charge of five sisters of
the order of the Good Shepherd, with
Mother M. de Sales at their head, and
their purpose is to care for fallen wo-
men and young girls who desire to lead
a better life, the work being almost
identical with that of rescue homes.

The new convent will receive fallen
women who promise to lead a better
life, and also children that are sur-
rounded by immoral environments, with
a view of improving the lot of all. Al-
though strictly a Catholic institution,
no discrimination as to creed or race
will be made in the reception of women
and children.

The house was open to visitors yester-
day from 2 to 8 p. m., during which
there were many callers. Benediction
of the Blessed Sacrament was given at
4 o'clock, and Bishop Donahue made an
address to the visitors, extolling the
Sisters and the work they were engaged
in.

The Sisters came to Wheeling from
a convent at Toronto, Can., and the new
home was purchased by a check for
\$10,000 donated by a German woman,
a stranger to this diocese, who assists in
furthering the good work as far as she
is able. The generous benefactor is now
travelling in Europe.

In addition to the gift of \$10,000 from
the lady, in Germany, Mr. Dazen, a
Washington, Pa., gentleman, gave a
large sum, and the late Edward Larkin
before his death, gave his check for
\$1,000. These amounts put the home on
a self-sustaining basis.

Woman's Relief Corps.

At the regular meeting of J. W. Hol-
iday, Woman's Relief Corps No. 1, on
Thursday evening of last week, com-
mittees were appointed to attend Mem-
orial Day exercises at each of the
schools. It is earnestly urged that
every member give a few hours to attend-
ing these exercises, and show to the
teachers and pupils their appreciation
of their efforts in encouraging them to
teach patriotism, one of the fundamen-
tal principles of the Woman's Relief
Corps.

The Woman's Relief Corps will serve
dinner to comrades of the Grand Army
on Decoration Day at 1 O. O. F. hall.
Comrades attend the morning exercises
at the different cemeteries are cordially
invited. After having lunch-
ed they can spend a restful hour before
going out in the afternoon. The W. R. C.
and Sons of Veterans will also have
charge of decorating the monument, as
usual.

NICE square Knabe Piano, in good
condition, which we will sell for \$125.
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faction it is when the bread you eat is
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largest and cheapest in the city.
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TOPICS OF THE SCHOOLS.

A prominent citizen of our city, who
by the way, is a heavy tax payer and a
friend of our public schools, said to the
writer a few days ago that he would
not send his children to school at all
during the month of June except that
they might hold their place in their
classes. He is opposed to ten months
school, and had he the power he would
have but eight months school. As a
tax payer he would be willing to pay
the same amount of tax for eight
months of school as he now pays for
ten. He thinks the pupils would make
just as much advancement in their
studies and it would be much better for
their health. He would have the teach-
ers paid by the year, and the shortening
of the term would not affect the teach-
ers' salaries.

The writer thinks that while this may
be going a little to the other extreme,
that nine months in the year is long
enough for any growing child to attend
school, and he believes that the pupils
will do a better year's work in that time
than they will in ten months. The
teacher should be paid by the year.

That our public schools are under-
going a crucial test is apparent from
what can be seen and heard all over our
land to-day. Especially is this the case
in the city of Washington. It seems
that for the past two or three years an
antagonism to the schools has existed.
The senate committee on the District of
Columbia appointed a special commit-
tee to investigate the matter. Ques-
tions were prepared under the direction
of the chief examiner of the civil ser-
vice commission which were to test the
ability of the pupils. These questions
were submitted to Superintendent
Powell and accepted by him, and 1,138
of the first year high school pupils took
the test. The questions in arithmetic,
were as follows:

(1) Find the total cost of the follow-
ing: 3 1/2 pounds of butter at 25 cents a
pound, 9 pounds 9 ounces of cheese at
16 cents a pound, 8 pounds 10 ounces of
cheese at 21 cents a pound.

(2) A man sold three-eighths of his
farm for \$3,900, what was the farm
worth at the same rate?

(3) A builder bought 4,500 brick at
\$7 50 per thousand, 12,200 feet of lumber
at \$16 50 per thousand feet, and 975
pounds of nails at \$3 80 per hundred
pounds; what was the amount of the
entire bill?

(4) What will it cost to carpet a room
54 feet long and 31 feet 6 inches wide,
with Brussels carpet 1/4 of a yard wide
at \$1 24 per square yard, making no al-
lowance for matching.

(5) How many tiles 16 inches square
will be required to cover a court 63 feet
4 inches long and 48 feet wide?

(6) A coal dealer bought 840 long tons
of coal at \$6 72 per long ton of 2,240
pounds, and sold it at \$8 a short ton of
2,000. How much money did he gain?

(7) A man bought a house for \$2,500
and sold it for \$1,875. What per cent
did he lose on the cost?

(8) What is the interest on \$320 at 6
per cent per annum from January 2nd,
1899, to November 20, 1899?

(9) The assessed value of property in
a certain city is three-fifths of the mar-
ket value. If the amount of taxes col-
lected in one year, on a basis of 2 1/2
cents on the \$1 of the assessed value
was \$1,235,640, what was the market
value of the property?

(10) A merchant sold goods for \$240,
thereby losing 20 per cent of the cost.
For what amount should he have sold
them to gain 15 per cent?

(11) Divide 11,435.125 by 28 1/2, multiply
the quotient by 63.08 and to the product
add 15-52 of 114.31.

The average per cent of the six differ-
ent schools that took the test was 58.8.
Fifteen pupils worked all of the exam-
ples while 37 per cent of the pupils stood
over 70. The questions in United States
History were as follows:

(1) Name the four nations that had
most to do with the discoveries and
early settlements of this country, and
state what part of the country each of
these nations explored and settled.

(2) Give brief account of the Puritans,
or of the Pilgrims, stating why so called,
the country from which they came,
the reasons for emigrating, where they
settled, and some of their characteris-
tics, habits and customs.

(3) State some of the important
causes which led to each of the follow-
ing wars, and the nations and people
involved in each: the French and In-
dian war; the Revolution; the war of
1812, and the Rebellion or Civil War.

(4) Select one of the following inven-
tions and write a connected story about
it: 1, The Cotton Gin; 2, The Steam-
boat; 3, The Telegraph; 4, The Tele-
phone; 5, The Electric Light.

(5) Name the three branches into
which the government of the United
States is divided, and state in general
the duty of each branch.

The average per cent of answers to
these questions was 53.10. Nineteen
pupils making 70 per cent or over.

The writer gave these questions as
tests to his eighth year pupils, and the
average made in arithmetic was 48.4
per cent, while in history the average
was 71.33 per cent. The highest in
arithmetic was 95, while two in history
stood 100 and one 98, one 96, two 95 and
one 90 per cent.

Quite a number have asked the writer
why next Friday is called "Patriotic
Day," and why it is observed as such in
our schools. In answer he would say
that about ten years ago the comman-
der-in-chief of the Grand Army of the
Republic, requested that on the Friday
preceding Memorial Day the public
schools of the land have patriotic exer-
cises, especially relating to Memorial
Day, &c., and he also asked that the
observance of this day be perpetual.
The Wheeling schools have observed
this day faithfully ever since, and on
next Friday it will be observed as
never before. The members of the G.
A. R. and W. R. C. will visit the schools,
many of them will tell to the pupils
stories of the war. These exercises will
be held in the morning at Ritchie An-
nex, and in the main building in the af-
ternoon. This year the day will be ob-
served throughout West Virginia,
wherever schools are in session. The
Grand Army wish to make this a part
of memorial service just as truly as is
the solemn preaching on the Sunday
preceding the day.

THE PEDAGOGUE.

A PEACEFUL INVASION

Of Washington This Week by No-
bles of the Mystic Shrine.

A large party of Shriners, with their
wives and family friends, will leave this
morning for Washington, D. C., for the
meeting of the Imperial Council of the
Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the
Mystic Shrine, and incidentally avail
themselves of the picturesque and in-
structive sights at the national capital.
Oeiris temple will be there in force and
it will have headquarters at the Colo-
nial hotel. Out-of-town Nobles will
join the local brethren at the Baltimore
& Ohio station here, and the party will
leave on a special train over this road
at 8 a. m. At Mannington, Fairmont,
Grafton and other points more
knights of the fez and tiger claws will
be taken aboard, and the West Vir-
ginia delegation will be representative of
the state.

The committee on arrangements for
the pilgrimage are Messrs. James B.
McKee, Clarke Hamilton, Jr., Will W.
Irwin and Thomas Carnahan, Jr.

The excursionists from Wheeling and
near-by points will include the follow-
ing: Edward E. Baldwin, Joseph H.
McDermott, W. E. Crandall, J. W. Car-
penter and wife; Henry Brunhaus, John
L. Kirkland and wife; J. R. Cunnig-
ham, Charles E. Wells, E. B. Adams, E.
S. Easton and wife; George M. Allen-
der, Henry D. Heckman and wife; J. G.
Cochran, John W. Herbert and sister;
A. B. C. Dague, W. M. Jamieson, C. H.
Nealy, E. M. Grant, A. E. Graham, J.
V. Blair, J. W. Righter, Thomas C.
Murphy, Robert Piper and wife; John
A. Zorn, wife and sister; E. H. Reeser,
Thomas G. Jenkins, John M. Craw-
ford, D. A. Beatty, C. K. Clark, E. P.
Stewart, D. C. Stewart, John Russell,
W. J. Clark, J. L. McLain, R. E. Schu-
bert, William O'Brien, J. B. Samuels,
James G. Cochran and wife; J. S. John-
ston, H. C. Richards, C. A. McCarroll
and wife; J. W. Henderson and wife;
J. K. Hall, Charles Bailey, A. T. Hupp
and wife; N. J. Hamilton, O. H. Stuck
and wife; John F. Mallory, Henry
Morris, T. M. Barton, Frank W. Clark
and sister; W. L. Thorn and wife; F. E.
Mallory and wife; H. W. Brown, S. W.
Templeton, H. B. Bowner, A. A. Will-
hide and wife; George W. Debolt and
wife; Harry C. Franzheim and wife; W.
W. Irwin and wife; James B. McKee
and wife; Clark Hamilton, Jr., William
T. Schaefer, J. T. Davis and George
Baird.

COL. ALEXANDER CAMPBELL'S

Quest for a Jack and Jennet for an
Australian Friend Successful.

Colonel Alexander Campbell, of
Bethany, W. Va., has been in the city
on his way through the Central Ken-
tucky counties looking for a fine jack
and jennet, which he wished to ship to
Hon. J. H. Angus, member of parlia-
ment, one of the most noted stockmen
in Australia. It takes a specially strong
and robust animal to make this trip to
the other side of the world, but Colonel
Campbell at last found what he wanted
with Messrs. Herndon & Turley, of
Madison county, and shipped them from
this city yesterday afternoon. They
will go by way of San Francisco and if
wind and fortune favor, will reach Sid-
ney, N. S. W., on July 8. Even then
they are still 1,200 miles from their des-
tination—Adelaide, South Australia.
They will probably be the only animals
of their kind in that large and rich
territory, and, inasmuch as mules are
celebrated for their great capacity to
endure heat and hardship, and al-
though it will cost a nice little sum to
set them down safely in their new
home, still they are sure to prove a
profitable investment.—Lexington (Ky.)
Herald.

Delegates Chosen.

Knights of St. George Commandery
No. 44, of the Knights of St. John, held
an interesting meeting Sunday after-
noon, at which delegates and alternates
were elected to the national convention
of the Knights of St. John, at Philadel-
phia, the last week in June. The fol-
lowing were chosen: Delegates—Dr. C.
A. Wingerter, George J. Mathison, J. J.
Coniff, T. S. Riley. Alternates—Joseph
Kraus, Henry Vogler, S. Alexander, J.
A. Blum. The meeting was followed by
a luncheon at the Carroll Club, which
was enlivened with speech making. The
Knights will go to Philadelphia on a
special train, leaving here June 24. They
have entered the prize drill competition
and are training for it diligently.

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est prices. Catalogue free. Red-
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faction it is when the bread you eat is
good? Always ask for WHEELING
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purest bread ever made.

DIED.

WIEDEBUSH—On Sunday morning,
May 20, 1899, at 2:30 o'clock, AUGUST
WIEDEBUSH, aged 73 years, 3
months and 20 days.
Funeral from his late residence, No. 2215
East street, on Wednesday afternoon
at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are cordially
invited to attend. Interment at Green-
wood cemetery.

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a stock of Serges that is a stock, and of Serges that are Serges,
thoroughly reliable in weave and color, tailored with the utmost
care—finished with every excellence and elegance, and further-
more here is a point to make a note of: We positively and fully
guarantee every Serge Suit in the house regardless of price. When
you want to buy a Serge Suit you want to come where Serges
are—HERE

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nel Coats and Pants. They are the proper caper to wear for out-
ing purposes or playing Golf and Tennis. We have just received
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even prettier than the first lot.

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These machines are slightly shop worn, but are in perfect
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A 3-drawer machine, regular price \$35.00. **\$19.75**

Special price.....

A 5-drawer machine, regular price \$45.00. **\$23.75**

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100 PERSIAN WILTON RUGS—Size 27x54
inches. These rugs are beautiful and well
worth \$3.00. Special price..... **95c**

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that will remove all blemishes of the complexion without the slightest injury
to the skin. It clears and beautifies the skin, making it smooth and velvety.

Face Bleach

Cures Eczema

permanently. If you are troubled with Eczema, Acne, Red Nose, Black-
heads, or any other disease or discoloration of the skin, do not wait until
the disease gets deeply seated, but use Face Bleach at once. It does not
require a long treatment—a few applications will show a great improvement,
and a few weeks cures you permanently.

Face Bleach is not a cosmetic, but a perfect skin tonic. It does not
show on the face after application, and its use does not in any way interfere
with your daily duties. It is applied twice daily, night and morning.

Thousands who read this may have made up their minds to investigate
what Face Bleach is, but have as yet neglected to do so. It will